BY J. L. PENNINGTON & CO.

THE NEWS.

—For latest news see Fourth Page.

—General Torbett, of cavalry fame, has been assigned to the command of the post of Norfolk.

—Mr. John R. Kilby, of Nansemond county, Va., has been nominated as a candidate for Congress in his district.

—Every able bodied negro who was once Wade Hampton's slave is now hired by him; men at $10 per month, women at $8, without board. He expects to raise 800 bales of cotton this season, and means to give free-negro labor a fair trial.

—A startling and murderous plot to release all the prisoners in the State prison at Joliet Ill., has been discovered and frustrated.

—The Liverpool *Mercury* of the 17th ultimo contains an account of the sinking, in March last, of the ship Sam. Dunning, from Rangoon for Liverpool.—Out of a crew of thirty-one men, only six survived. These survivors kept afloat on a raft for several days, enduring terrible sufferings. They had to eat leather belts and pitch out of the seams, and drink salt water.

—Judah P. Boujamin, of rebellious notoriety, is still loafing about the streets of Havanna. So says a letter from that place, which also states that the ex-rebel Generals Preston and Walker left by the steamer Eider for England, intending to go thence to Halifax. Gov. Moore will remain in Cuba until his fate is determined in Washington. Gen. Magruder is in the City of Mexico, ready to take employment, if he can find it; Capt. Maury has found service with the Emperor as superintendent of a national observatory, which is to be established; and Major Mordecai, as topographical and civil engineer, will be associated for the present with Col. Talcott, in charge of an important branch of the public railway service. Gen. E. Kirby Smith still remains here."

—There are more than 20,000 negroes in Memphis—which is more than one-half the entire population.

—Horace Maynard is opposed to negro suffrage. In order to prevent it, he urges the people of Tennessee to accept the Constitutional amendment and acquiesce heartily in the policy of the Federal authorities. He says "there is nothing so likely to hasten the era of negro voting as opposition to Government measures by the whites of the South."

—Champ Ferguson, the Tennessee guerrilla, now on trial in Nashville, told an editor who had an interview with him, that he was innocent of the crimes imputed to him; that he never harmed a Federal soldier in regular service, and that he could not have captured in ten years, but surrendered in good faith, as a prisoner of war.

—The Ketchum case is the occasion of a good pun. The forger took money out of his father's vault, and his friends excuse the indiscretion by saying that it is merely an instance where vaulting ambition overleaped itself.

—There is an ex-army sutler in Indianapolis who made $200,000 in fourteen month time, and invested the whole amount in United States bonds, which are exempt from taxation. He went out as sutler under the auspices of the United States Christian Commission, on condition of paying into their fund a certain per cent. of his earnings.

—There are now living at Cincinnati three members of a family whose history is one of misfortune. The father wes killed by falling from the roof of a building, a daughtes burned to death with cam-phene, one son was drowned, another was killed in a railroad accident, and still another came to his death by accident. The mother is now in the city prison, as a vagrant; and two daughters ought to be married, but they are not.

—Judge E. S. Fisher, the nominee for Governor of the recently adjourned Mississippi Convention, is in Washington seeking pardon.

—W. W. Corcoran, Esq., of Washington, who has been sojourning on the continent of Europe for some years, announces in recent letters to his correspondents that he will return home in the coming fall.

—The Registration Law of Maryland is to have its constitutionality tested before the courts. A mandamus has been sued out of the District Court of Montgomery county against the registers by Thomas Anderson.

—Some of the citizens of the town of Sutton, Massachusetts, have applied to the Supreme Judicial Court for an injunction to restrain the town collector from collecting a tax to refund money paid out in furnishing substitutes by the town.

—A pretty accurate estimate of the defalcation of Howard B. Ketchum has now been arrived at, and it sets up the enormous amount of $4,200,000.

GENERAL SHERMAN CENSURED.—While General Sherman was in General Howard's tent one day during the Georgia campaign, the Medical Director, who knew that the former liked a "glass" occasionally, while General Howard was total abstinence, told Sherman that he looked weary and ill, and if he would go with him he would give him a seidlitz powder. The General acquiesced in the proposal, with sincerity, but General Howard, opening his valise, begged him not to leave, and produced a powder, which he mixed and gave to Sherman. The latter, though a little chagrined at the loss of the ardent, was much amused at Howard's ruse, and drank the soda manfully. The bystanders who saw the joke smiled as loud as was proper under the circumstances.

A GOLD AND SILVER TRAIN.—A specie train arrived at Leavenworth, on the 19th, from Aguas Calientes, Mexico, with $40,000 in Mexican silver coin, $20,000 in gold, and two hundred pounds weight in silver plates and bars. It is owned by Senor Don Francisco Guiterros de Bolis. An escort of twelve men accompanied the train. They were attatked by guerillas in Chihuahua, and one of the escort was wounded. Affairs are reported in a terrible condition in Mexico, bush whackers swarming in all parts of the country.

☞ We apologise in this morning's paper for the small quantity of reading matter, it shall not be the case again.

THE DAILY PROGRESS.

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THE CITY.

ARRIVAL OF GEN. MEADE.—This distinguished military chieftain, arrived in Raleigh this morning and registered at the Exchange Hotel. He has been designated by our government as an Inspector, for the Southern District of the United States. The people of the South could not have had a gentleman, in whom they have more confidence selected for that object.

Gen. Meade was the first of the federal generals to give check to R. E. Lee, at Gettysburg, and since then he has been honored by the people of the South, as the true hero of the war. He is not only a gallant soldier, but a chivalric gentleman, and we hope our citizens, universally, will extend him a welcome which a hero deserves.

M. E. AND M. P. CONFERENCES.—It seems that at present there is no certainty as to the next meeting of the conference of the Methodist Episcopalians in this State. At their last session Rockingham, in Richmond county, was chosen, but from a belief that the accommodations would be insufficient for the large and influential body, there is almost a certainty of the transfer of the meeting to some other and more accessible point.

The Ministerial Association of the Methodist Protestant Church in North Carolina, which was to have convened its third session in May last, failed to do so because of the circumstances of the times, and the few attending agreed that the next should be convened at Union Chapel, in Granville circuit, on Friday before the 1st Sabbath in November next, at 10 o'clock.

THE EXAMINATION OF JEFF. DAVIS.—it is announced will not take place for several months, though it is understood in official circles at Washington, that any of the citizens of this State may at once proceed to examine Maxon & Strongs splendid stock of goods, in the store two doors below this office. It is not exaggeration to say that in the matter of prints, silks, ribbons, veils, hankerchiefs, sheeting, shoes, boots, hats, and all the appointments of a first-class dry good establishment, their supplies will contrast favorably with any other in the old North State. We know they have unusual facilities for introducing in rapid succession the new styles of European and American goods as they enter market, and if properly sustained in their trade, Raleigh will soon have a jobbing house that would reflect no discredit on Broadway.

DISTRICT OF WEST NORTH CAROLINA AND RALEIGH.—According to an order of Maj. Gen. Ruger, the commands in the districts of West North Carolina and Raleigh, being composed of mixed troops equivalent to a brigade, said troops are constituted separate brigades, under command of the district commanders, in accordance with General Orders, No. 251, War Department, Adjutant General's Office, August 31st, 1864—and those commanders are empowered to appoint general court martials, as directed in the act of Congress, approved December 24th, 1861.

BITTEN BY A SNAKE.—We learn that a little boy, grandson of Ford Taylor, Esq., who resides a short distance from the city, was bitten by a copperhead moccasin a few nights since, in a well in the yard of Mr. T. Dr. Burke Haywood was sent for and found the little sufferer badly swollen, but administered such remedies as to afford relief, and the prospect is that the bite will not prove mortal.—The snake struck him three times, and a visitor to the same point the next night was attacked in like manner, but killed his venomous assailant.

NEW COMMISSION HOUSE.—From advertisement in this morning's paper, it will be seen that Mr. James H. Finch has commenced operations as a commision and forwarding agent in this city. Mr. F., was a long period an attachee of the express and railroad companies, and is therefore peculiarly well qualified for the business in which he has engaged. He has energy, enterprise and go-ahead-ativeness enough for any single individual, and no doubt will be able to give satisfaction to parties entrusting their [illegible] to him.

ON DUTY.—The many friends of Rev. Thomas H. Pritchard, in this city, will be glad to hear that he has returned to Petersburg from his visit to Maryland. The *Express* thus speaks of his first ministrations there:

The morning sermon was an effort of rare eloquence and power, and produced a manifest impression. We regret that it was out of our power to hear the evening sermon of the gifted divine. During his recent tour to the North, which was neither extended nor protracted, he succeeded in securing $1,500 towards rebuilding the First Baptist Church of this city. He was urgently entreated to return at an early day, when a large number of persons now absent in the country and at the watering places, will be present.

NOT ASCERTAINED.—We asked an old citizen of the county, yesterday, if he knew the number of candidates in and expected to be in the field for the convention from Wake. He could designate only twelve expectants, but thought it safe to assume that at least ten more patriots would appear on the course before the races commenced.

QUITE A DIFFERENCE.—It is stated to us that previous to the war a bale of cotton could be sent from Raleigh to New York for $2. It now costs $1.00 per hundred pounds to Petersburg. We do not know the tariff beyond, but there is quite difference between the charges of 1861 and those of 1865.

RAVISHING.—We heard yesterday—without the attempt to give names—that an effort had been made by a negro to ravish a lady within a few miles of Forrestville. It appears that the culprit ventured into the house of the lady and ordered breakfast, after which he grew insolent, and demanded a more intimate knowledge of her affairs. After ascertaining that her husband had been killed during the rebellion, he insisted that his affection should be recognized. Upon the lady's refusing his concessions, he attempted to enforce his claims, when she resisted with heroic courage of a true woman. At this juncture a young darkey, be it said to his lasting credit, ran a distance of a mile and a half and brought relief. The scoundrel retreated, was pursued, and discovered near Henderson on the Raleigh and Gaston road. He was then hitched to a buggy, brought back to a point near Forrestville, and after conviction as the party attempting the rape, shot fifteen times, each ball giving a mortal wound. So much for Judge Lynch.

SPORT AND SPORTSMEN.—The inquiry is frequently made whether the embargo laid on the introduction of arms, ammunition, grey cloth, and the like, by presidential regulations, had been removed. The effect of the president's late proclamation is to remove restriction on the very class of articles enumerated. He refers by designation to the restrictions imposed by his papers of 13th and 24th June, and then adds that after "the first day of September, 1865, all restrictions aforesaid be removed, so that the articles declared by the said proclamation to be contraband of war may be imported into and sold in said States, subject only to such regulations as the Secretary of the Treasury may prescribe."

Of course sportsmen may buy, and once more, with gun, pointer, pouch, bag and flask, go in quest of their favorite game.

GOLD IN THE CARDS.—We have a large lot of fine paper on hand, and can print military blanks, court blanks, circulars, catalogues, &c., at the shortest notice, and at northern prices.

Also a large lot of cards on hand, which we can print at from $5 to $8 a thousand. Orders solicited at PROGRESS OFFICE.

PRESBYTERIAN SYNOD.—The Synod of the Presbyterian Church of North Carolina will meet in Fayetteville on Wednesday the 26th of October.

MAIL AGENTS.—Daniel N. Shirwood and Charles Stingluff have been appointed Mail Agents on the North Carolina Railroad.

MARKET REPORT

CORRECTED DAILY BY

E. A. WHITAKER,

Grocer and Dealer in Provisions.

Apples—Dried, $1 25 per bushel,
" Green, $1 50 per bushel,
Bacon—Firm, sales at 25@26c per lb.
Beef—10c per lb.
Butter—35c per lb.
Cheese—40c per lb.
Chickens—20c a piece.
Coffee—50c per lb.
Corn—$1 00 per bushel.
Eggs—30 a 35c per dozen.
Flour—Superfine $11 per bbl.;
Hides—Green 10c.
" Dry 15c.
Honey—in comb, 25 to 30c per lb.
Lamb—12½@15c per lb.
Lard—25c per lb.
Meal—$1 15 per bushel.
Mullets—None,
Mackerel—$20 per bbl.
Onions—$1 50 per bushel.
Peaches—dried 10c per lb.
Peas—White $100; Stock 90 to $1; Garden 40c per peck.
Potatoes—Irish $1 00 per bush.
" Sweet, new, $1 50 per bushel.
Sugar—Crushed 35c per lb; Brown 25c
Syrup—40c@50 per gallon.
Soda—Cooking, 25c per pound.
Salt—$2 00 per bushel.
Tallow—10c@12½ per lb.
Herrings—$14 per bbl.
Rice—15c per lb.
Candles—Adamantine, 40c lb per box.
Soap—Turpentine, 20c per lb.
Bluestone—50c per lb.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

JUST ARRIVED,
AND FOR SALE AT
Maxon & Strong's,
No. 58 Fayetteville St., next door to the Old Post Office,

GOOD Black Silk, fine Silk Nets, Silk Ribbons and Buckles, Hosiery by the pair or dozen, Hair Nets, poor and choice Linen Handkerchiefs by the dozen, Black Love (mourning) Veils, Hair Pins, Back Combs, Needles and Pins, all sizes, Bleached and Brown Sheeting, Slippers with or without heels, Alapaca and DeLaines plain and figured.

MISSES and Children's Shoes and Hose, Towels, Napkins, Table Cloths, Linen Buttons, Hair and Cloth Brushes. Cheap Shoes for men and women, Far. and Mech. Cassimere and Flannel for business suits for Gent's and Boys, Men's Hats, Boots, Shirts, Drawers, Collars and Handkerchiefs, Calico that will and will not fade. Some other goods.

In calling your attention to our stock of goods, allow us to call attention to our manner of doing business: We have only "one price," except in goods by the piece or package. We make liberal discounts on whole pieces. Persons sending children or servants for goods will get them as low as they could buy themselves. Bills will be sent by servants when requested. Orders (cash enclosed) will be attended to promptly, and satisfaction guaranteed. All goods warranted as represented.

We also have a Grocery Room, north side Market Square, filled with

CHOICE GROCERIES!

SUGARS, COFFEE,
TEA, NUTMEGS,
CINNAMON,
STARCH, INDIGO,
SOAP, CANDLES,
SODA,
CREAM TARTAR,
CONCENTRATED POTASH, for making Soap.
FLOUR, MEAL, BACON, &c.

☞ Boarding Houses furnished by the bbl., and at reduced rates. MAXON & STRONG.
sept6-tf

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

To Contractors and Bridge-Builders.

OFFICE RALEIGH & GASTON RAILROAD COMPANY,
Raleigh, N. C., September 5, 1865.

PLANS AND PROPOSALS FOR BUILDING A Bridge over Hilsit Creek, on the Raleigh & Gaston Railroad, will be received at this office until the 10th day of September, 1865.

Bridge Builders may submit plans for a wooden bridge constructed on the "Howe Truss plan," also plans for a stone culvert. Each plan must be accompanied by proposals. The Company reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

The Contractor to do all the work and furnish all the material. The transportation of the material will be at the risk of the Company while the same shall be carried by Railroads or Steamboats.

R. W. LASHLEY,
President Raleigh & Gaston Railroad Co.
sept6-12t

Sentinel, Progress, Salisbury Banner, Greensboro' Patriot, Charlotte Democrat, Petersburg Index and Norfolk Day Book copy until 16th day of September, and send bills to daily "Standard."

Office Chief Commissary of Subsistence,
DEPARTMENT OF NORTH CAROLINA,
RALEIGH, N. C., September 5, 1865.

SEALED PROPOSALS, in duplicate, will be received at this office until 10 o'clock a. m. on Saturday the 30th inst., for the purchase of 770 gallons BOURBON and 4,675 gallons RECTIFIED WHISKEY, now in store at New Berne and 866 gallons RECTIFIED WHISKEY, now in store at Morehead City.

Bids will be received for the whole or any part (not less than one barrel) of each of the above lots.

Samples can be seen by applying to Capt. W. L. Palmer, C. S., at New Berne, or Capt. G. W. Chandler, C. S., at Morehead City. Successful bidders will be required to remove the Whisky before the 10th day of October. Terms: cash, on delivery, in government bonds.

Proposals will have a copy of this advertisement attached and will be endorsed on the envelope, "Proposals for the purchase of Whisky."

J. W. BARRIGER,
Captain and C. S., U. S. A.,
Chief C. S., Dept. of N. C.

TEA KETTLES, SAUCEPANS, WASH BASINS

50 PAIRS FIRE DOGS,
100 Tea Kettles, assorted sizes
10 dozen Waffle Irons
10 dozen Saucepans
6 dozen Enameled Preserving Kettles
6 dozen tin Wash-basins
2 dozen Counter Scales
In store and for sale by
sept6tf B. P. WILLIAMSON & CO.,

IN STORE AND FOR SALE,

5 bales Gunny Bagging
20 coils Baling Rope
10 boxes Glass—8X10
10 do do 12X14
2 barrels Linseed Oil
100 kegs Cut Nails—assorted.
20 barrels Family Flour
7 barrels Glue
sept6-tf B. P. WILLIAMSON & CO.

FOR SALE.

WILL be sold to the highest bidder on Tuesday next, September 12, at Oak's plantation, ten miles east of Raleigh, about 100 head of HOGS—sows, pigs and fattening hogs. Also five Cows and Calves.
Terms of sale—cash. DAVID HINTON.
sept6-1w

LOST OR MISLAID,

ABOUT the last of April, 1865, a certificate for fourteen shares of stock in the Raleigh & Gaston Railroad Company, No. 116. All persons are warned not to trade for said certificate.
sept6-1w* DAVID HINTON.

WM. H. FINCH,
Forwarding and Commission Agent,
N. C. DEPOT, RALEIGH, N. C.

HIS LONG EXPERIENCE AS A RAILROAD AND Express employee justifies him in believing that he can give satisfaction to patrons.

He will be at the depot on the arrival of all trains, and he solicits consignments of Cotton and Produce of all descriptions.

Guards kept on stores while in transit, and trusty messengers sent with all goods, and every precaution taken against loss of cotton by fire.

Country Produce bought and sold, or sold on commission. Goods purchased and orders filled of every description.

Special attention paid to the forwarding of small packages.
Raleigh, Sept. 5th, 1865. 1m.

Sept. 6-1m No. 58, Craven St., New Bern, N. C.

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Mammoth Boot,
SIGN OF THE
Mason & Stagner,
Country Merchants and Dealers are invited to call and examine the stock.
Brushes, Blacking, and Shoe-laces in quantities to suit.
Direct from the Manufacturer.
BOOTS & SHOES,
Are just opening a Stock of
8 1 6 9
Sign of the Mammoth Boot,
RALEIGH, N. C.

SCHOOL.

MISS ANNIE LOVEJOY WILL OPEN A SCHOOL at the residence of her father, in this city, on the 11th of September, for boys and girls. Tuition for session of five months $25, including Latin, French and Greek languages. Sept. 5-1t.

To the Magistrates of Wake County.

YOU ARE NOTIFIED AND REQUESTED TO MEET at the Court House on Saturday the 9th day of September, to transact important county business. A full attendance is requested, as a majority of the whole will be required to meet by 11 o'clock.

NATHAN IVEY,
Sept 5-3t. Chm'n of Court.

LOST,

A BREAST-PIN, GOLD TROWEL, MASONIC Emblem.

The finder will receive five dollars reward and no questions asked by leaving it at the
Sept. 5-1t PROGRESS OFFICE.

THE POST OFFICE BEING FOR THE PRESENT up stairs, and therefore inconvenient, a small flag displayed at the window will indicate that it is open. No flag, that it is closed. A. MILLER, P. M.
Raleigh, Sept. 2, 1865. 1t.

TO PRINTERS.

A FIRST-RATE NO. 2 WASHINGTON HAND Press for sale, nearly as good as new. Price $100. The price for a new one is $200. Will be sold as above if applied for immediately. Apply to
J. L. PENNINGTON,
Sept. 2-tf. Progress Office.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

GRAND FALL OPENING!

GRAY, KELLOGG & CO.,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL HOUSE,

(Old stand of S. H. YOUNG,)

Fayetteville street, Raleigh, N. C.,

Keep constantly on hand a large and well selected assortment of

Dry Goods,
BOOTS AND SHOES,
HATS AND CAPS,
Groceries, &c., &c.

Having made arrangements with prominent houses in New York, they are enabled to offer to the public at all times the

LATEST STYLES OF GOODS,

which they will sell at rates and prices as low as any establishment in the State. sept1-3m

HARDWARE, CUTLERY, &C.

8 DOZ. WEEDING HOES, Nos. 1, 2 and 3—Elwell's Slocum's, and other makes.
50 pair Hooks and Hinges, assorted sizes
500 Carriage Bolts, do. do.
12 pair Sad Irons
2 doz. Frying Pans
20 Steel Corn Mills—something new
5000 papers Cut Tacks—assorted sizes
50 papers Carpet Tacks
10 dozen Mill Saw Files
5 do Flat Bastard Files
5 do Half-round Files
5 do Three-cornered Files
20 do Hand-saw Files
2 do Nail Claw Hammers
2 do Cast Steel Lathing Hatchets
10 do Cast Butt Hinges
10 gross Wood Screws, assorted sizes
10 dozen Augers
10 do Knives and Forks
10 do Pocket Knives
4 do pairs of Scissors
15 do Table Spoons
15 do Tea Spoons
100 pounds Swedes Iron Horse-shoe Nails
10 dozen Gimblets, assorted sizes
5 do Auger Bitts, with Braces
5 do Boxwood Pocket Rules
3 do Butcher Knives
2 do Chest Locks
20 do Pad, Draw and Cupboard Locks
4 do pairs Snuffers
15 do Cast Steel Axes
200 kegs Cut Nails, assorted sizes—daily expected
ALSO on hand, a large assortment of Rim Locks, Five-plate Locks, Horse Brushes, Shoe Brushes, Coffee Mills, Polished Shovels, and 1 cask Hammered Wrought Nails.
Just received and for sale by
B. P. WILLIAMSON & CO.,
Raleigh, Aug. 30-tf Commission Merchants.

LOUIS FENONE,
FRESCOE AND ORNAMENTAL PAINTER,

Has located in Raleigh, and offers his services to the public.

GRAINING AND EGYPTIAN MARBLING,
GILDING, LETTERING, &c.,
Done in the best style.

Orders for work solicited. May be seen at Exchange Hotel. aug31-2w

SMALL LOT WANTED.

WANTED to purchase in the city of Raleigh, a Small LOT, say one fourth to one half acre, with small house on it, or if the location suits the ground will be bought without improvements on it. Apply at
sept1-tf PROGRESS OFFICE.

SEED WHEAT.

600 BUSHELS RED WHEAT, plump grain, and free from disease of every kind, which I will sell for seed. Price $3 per bushel.
R. A. JENKINS,
aug31-1w Williamsboro, N. C.

GREAT INDUCEMENT.

I WILL sell a bargain, for cash or on time, in a FARM at Williamsboro' of 340 acres land. Good improvements. A Tobacco Factory and fixtures to work 25 hands. 80,000 pounds Leaf Tobacco and 60 to 70,000 pounds to work on shares. I wish to sell all together.
R. A. JENKINS,
aug31-1w Williamsboro, N. C.

KITTRELL'S SPRINGS FEMALE COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE,
Granville County, N. C.

THE FALL SESSION of this new Institution will open on the first Wednesday in October next. For particulars see Circular, or address
Rev. C. B. RIDDICK,
aug31-1m Kittrell's Springs.

TAILORS, ATTENTION!

C. M. FARRISS, one door above the PROGRESS office, has employment for an additional number of journeyman Tailors. Five good "Coat hands" can obtain employment by applying immediately. Females, well recommended, may apply. aug30-tf

CANVAS HAMS, BACON SIDES, &C.

2,000 POUNDS BACON SIDES, bright
1,000 do do do dark
1,000 do do do clear
3 tierces Choice Sugar-Cured Hams, extra
3 firkins Lard, 100 lbs each
25 kegs do 20 do do
25 pails do 20 do do
5,000 pounds Prime Shoulders
1 chest Black Tea
700 pounds North Carolina Hams
500 do do do Sides
1,500 do do do Shoulders
For sale by
aug30-tf B. P. WILLIAMSON & CO.,
Commission Merchants.

WIRE, NAIL ROD AND SHEET IRON.

2000 POUNDS WIRE, running from No. 6 to 26.
2000 do Nail Rod Iron
2000 do Sheet do
2000 do Plantation do, from 3 to 8 inches wide
500 do Horse-shoe Iron
4000 do Shovel-plate Iron
For sale by
aug30-tf B. P. WILLIAMSON & CO.,
Commission Merchants.

BOARD AT BEAUFORT.

MRS. FULFORD will accommodate boarders by the day, week or month. Terms $10 per week—children and servants half price. Residence on Ann street sept1-3w

NOTICE.

ON Saturday, September 9th, I will sell at auction, at the Insane Asylum, about 25 head of blooded STOCK HOGS, sows, boars and pigs. Sale to commence at 11 o'clock a. m.
RUFUS K. PERRELL,
aug30-td Steward.

WANTED TO RENT,

A DWELLING HOUSE, in a healthy and central location. Apply to S. MAXON, Field and Fireside Building, Fayetteville street. aug30-tf

DAILY PROGRESS.

RALEIGH, N. C.

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 6, 1865.

The President and the Seceded States.

"OCCASIONAL," the able correspondent of the Philadelphia *Press*, calls attention to the ready acquiescence of Mississippi in the performance of her duties to the country, and the approval which it elicited from the President, adding that those States which were first and loudest for war have gracefully bowed before the decrees of fate and the verdict of the battle-field.

With the exception of the resurrectionists of the South—that small minority who are never satisfied with any thing but themselves and such schemes as have direct tendency to their aggrandizement—the same line of policy may be predicted for the people of North Carolina, Virginia, and each of the other Southern States.—It is unfortunately true that in every direction small bodies of men are found who still delude themselves with the proposition that slavery in this country is temporarily dethroned—suspended, as it were, only to find in the future a more forcible demonstration of its necessity than history and experience has heretofore afforded.—They appear conscientious in advancing views of the character mentioned, and we feel no reluctance to give them credit for sincerity, because most of them rely not upon the revolution of force, or arms, but of interest for the realization of their fallacy. They expect the result as a logical consequence of public necessity, and do not propose violent measures to compass their preferences; but other fractional numbers are also found who boldly affirm in practice intention to delay, obstruct and impair in all respects the noble and delicate task of President Johnson in furthering present reconstruction. Of a type with the fallen angel of Milton's creation, they infinitely prefer the robes of power in the abodes of darkness to the simple livery of a heavenly servitude. We find them proclaiming hostility to the recognition of the rights of the negro before the law, when they know that the North demands at least so much as the condition of releasing us from the vassalage of this moment. If they were numerous enough to enforce their pretensions either in our elections or by legislation, the Congress of the United States would reject not only the representatives of the South to that body, but exclude us from exercising the functions of independent States for an indefinite period. Already in the free States a party has appeared, by no means insignificant in power, who prescribe negro suffrage as the basis of our restoration. The South rightfully thinks that such matters belong exclusively to the individual sovereignties of the Union—that it is not properly or constitutionally a question of concernment to Massachusetts or New Hampshire whether North Carolina and Virginia bestow or withhold privileges from any portion of their people, so long as they deprive them of no rights assured by the general constitution; and we venture to predict that the day will not be reached when the South will be willing to abandon such perceptions of law, equity and justice. But fanaticism makes demand for their surrender, and it is only by unity among the conservative elements of the whole nation that it can be successfully resisted. Is it not, then, the interest of the South to repeat the policy of Mississippi and by all possible measures show the readiness of her people to yield cheerful obedience to all that, fairly interpreted, even the condition of subjugation requires. President Johnson and the men of the North who sustain him do not aim to destroy the independent functions of the States, or to impair the manhood and self-respect of their citizens. They merely ask for evidences—substantial evidences of loyalty to the government, and if they are not withheld, the radical foes of our section will not be powerful enough to invade just constitutional privileges or to clog our local prosperity.

To effect such results—to induce such loyalty—to promote real, not apparent harmony—to revive the era of good will and kind offices at home and abroad—has been the highest ambition of the "*Progress.*" We hope we are not deceived in the impression that the number and quality of those whose conduct has kept up ill-feeling is decreasing. If not, North Carolina will pass into the Union without question. Her passport will be the undeviating fidelity of her citizens to the conditions affixed to her admission by the war, and the disappearance from her State counsels and conduct of all that speaks of revolution and lawlessness.

New State Papers.

The Winston *Sentinel*, which had been suspended since Gen. Stoneman's raid, has again made its appearance on our table. It is conducted by Messrs. J. W. Alspaugh and G. W. Stone.

The "Church Intelligencer," the organ of the Protestant Episcopal Church, after a suspension of a few months, again made its appearance last week, and will hereafter be regularly published in Charlotte. Terms $5 per year, or $3 for six months.

Messrs. Britton & Waring have commenced the publication of the "Carolina Times" in the same town. It is handsomely printed, and the selected and original matter is proof of the capacity and taste of those gentlemen. We wish them all prosperous voyages and a great harvest in the form of substantial appreciation from the public.

By-the-by, the terms of the "Times" are for the daily $10; for the weekly $4.00.

The Right Spirit.

We see that Jos. Wilson, of Mecklenburg, declines being considered a candidate for the State convention. The people appeared very anxious for permission to use his name in such connection, but he refuses on the ground that a question might be raised as to his eligibility to a seat in the Convention.

We conclude that he came within the 13th exception of the President's proclamation; but of one thing there is certainty: he sets an example which is worthy of all commendation.—He thinks that "where there is the least probability of a man's right to a seat being questioned, it is prudent for him to decline. Mr. Wilson is opposed to doing anything that would retard the restoration of the State to the Union, and is anxious that the work go on in harmony. Hereafter, if the people of the county wish it, we suppose he will be able and willing to serve them."

Southerners in Mexico.—Letter from an Ex-Rebel Officer.

The St. Louis *Republican* publishes the following:

ST. LOUIS, August 10, 1865.

"Having seen various reports as to the names and number of those officers of the Confederate army who went to Mexico, I submit the following, having been one of the party, and returned to the city yesterday from Monterey.

"General Maguder, upon whose staff I was when the war closed, determined to take his parole and join his family in Europe. With this view he went to Galveston with his staff, June 9th, where he met President Johnson's proclamation; and being exempted from the amnesty, from having been a graduate of West Point, he at once determined to leave the country by the way of Mexico. We left Houston on the 11th on horseback, having with us three pack mules, and reached San Antonio on the 18th, where we met General Shelby with a force of about 800 men; also General E. K. Smith, Price, Wilcox, of Mississippi, Haws, Frank Gordon, Jackman, Governors Allen, and Moore, of Louisiana and Governor Murrah, of Texas. The whole party left San Antonio on the 20th, and traveled without interruption, reaching Eagle Pass on the 25th. We were treated civilly, yet were closely watched by the liberal party, who were in possession of Piedras Negras. From here we pushed on rapidly to Monterey. Some of the party report having been stopped by robbers, though I saw none.

"We reached Monterey, July 3, and found the place occupied by the French, one thousand strong; the liberal General having fallen back upon Monclova with five thousand men. He was in possession of one of the strongest passes in the mountains, and made every preparation for a fight, but upon the approach of the French, he fled rapidly to Monclova. The French treated us with great kindness, and seemed to look upon their trip in the mountains as a summer excursion. They keep no pickets or guards in the city. Every other night the great band plays in the Plaza until midnight, where all Monterey assembles and enjoys itself.—The odd nights the theatre is opened, and again all Monterey is present.

"At Monterey we found General Preston, of Kentucky; General Hindman, General Hardiman, of Texas; T. C. Reynolds, of Missouri; Colonel Broadwell, of the Cotton Bureau, besides many Colonels and officers of lesser note. At this place the party dissolved. General Smith went to Havana, General Magruder to Germany, where his family is; General Price, to Rio, all by the way of the city of Mexico, as the roads to Tampico and Matamoras were in possession of the robbers. Besides, there is a weekly line of steamers from Vera Cruz to Liverpool, by way of Havana.

"Ex-Governor Tristen Polk left San Antonio on the 28th of June, and I heard of his reaching Eagle Pass in safety. General John B. Clark, sr., in company with an ex-Senator from Louisiana, also passed through San Antonio a few days after Governor Polk.

"The French admire Shelby very much, and were anxious he should join their service. From what I saw and from what the Duke of Ecklenghen told me, I think Shelby will be offered a Brigadier General's command, if he will accept it. They allow enlistments for one year and upwards in the cavalry, and give them $50 per month.

"Goods were high in Monterey owing to the blockade of the roads, and at Matamoras 'dirt cheap.' Fine boots were $5, and clothing for anything you would give. I reached Matamoras on the 15th, after a four days' trip from Monterey in the stage, after having been robbed three times and captured by Cortinas within 15 miles of Matamoras.

"I see his force was set down at six hundred; he had just eighty men in the fight with Lopez. I should think there were about eight hundred Confederates, officers and men, in Monterey when I left, and I have heard of several parties going in since.

"PYTHON."

Western N. C. Railroad.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Western N. C. Railroad was held at Newton on Thursday last. The following Board of Directors were elected: G. F. Davidson, W. F. McKesson, J. Malone and S. McD. Tate. At a meeting of the Directors, Tod. R. Caldwell was elected President, Samuel S. Kirkland, Superintendent; [illegible] F. Simonton, Secretary and Treasurer.

The Salisbury *Banner*, from which we gather the above, facts, says:

"The Company is indebted to parties in the North $20,350—but they are not pressing, and offer to furnish any material wanted on time. The amount due on construction account when collected will be sufficient to pay all the indebtedness of the road. The Confederate Government owed to the road $117,352.87. The destruction of property by Stoneman's raid amounted to $111 at ante-bellum prices. A loan of $20,000 is needed.

The American Telegraph Company have made arrangements to run a line to Morganton.

The salary of the President of the Road was fixed at $2,500, and Secretary at $1,500.

The London (C. W.) Free Press details the flogging of a private soldier of the British army, for getting drunk and insulting his superior officer. A court-martial sentenced him to sixty lashes. After twenty-five lashes with the "cat," on his bare back, he was taken down and sent to the hospital, the surgeon testifying that he could not survive the full punishment. Besides the above stripes, he received a long term of imprisonment, with daily "ball exercise."

THE STATE CONVENTION.

TO THE LOYAL VOTERS OF WAKE COUNTY.

FELLOW CITIZENS:—Having been recommended by large meetings representing twelve or fifteen districts of the county, I announced myself a candidate for the State Convention, some time since, subject to the action of a County Convention, should one be held.

At the recent term of the County Court a number of Conservatives made a call for a County Convention to nominate a ticket, which Convention met on Saturday last, but adjourned without making any nomination, there only being seven precincts represented. Previous to the assembling of the Convention, I begged my friends to drop my name if a better and more acceptable ticket could be formed, and urged the nomination or recommendation of W. H. Hood, Col. Russ and A. F. Page. I expressly authorized my friends to withdraw my name in favor of the gentlemen aboved named, or any one else who held their principles; but as the County meeting adjourned without forming a ticket, it leaves me no other alternative but to run. I therefore announce to my fellow citizens that I am a candidate for the State Convention and that I shall canvass the county as well as the short time left will permit me, and invite those who have slandered me to meet me on the stump.

If elected to the State Convention I shall favor all measures calculated to restore civil law throughout the State, to restore the State to the Union and to relieve our people of military rule.

I shall most cheerfully and zealously support the administration of President Johnson and the administration and policy of Governor Holden.

I shall advocate the election of Governor Holden to the office he now holds by the appointment of the President when the people shall be called on to elect a chief magistrate.

In or out of the Convention I shall oppose negro suffrage. I shall advocate the enactment of laws for the protection of the person and property of the colored man, but I am opposed to extending him the right of suffrage or any other political privilege more than he now has.

I shall oppose the assumption or payment, by the State, of any debts or bonds, State bonds, Confederate bonds or County bonds, issued for the prosecution of the rebellion.

I shall favor the settlement of all debts of an individual character, contracted during the rebellion, upon a just, fair and equitable basis.

I shall favor the insertion of a clause in our State constitution declaring slavery or involuntary servitude, unless as a punishment for crime, forever abolished in North Carolina.

I give these outlines of my political principles for the benefit of such of my Conservative friends as may have been influenced or prejudiced by the falsehoods and slanders that have been circulated against me, but I will give them more in detail before the people.

I appeal to the really loyal and true Union men of Wake county for their suffrages. No man in the State has suffered more on account of the advocacy of peace measures than I have, and had my counsels been heeded by those in authority the war would have been closed before North Carolina was devastated by the presence of large armies. Of course the candidates of the secessionists will profess Unionism, but the fact that the leading secessionists, those who wanted Mr. Holden and his friends mobbed and hung last summer, support them, ought to be enough to cause all true Conservatives to shun them.

J. L. PENNINGTON.

Raleigh, Sept. 4th, 1865.

N. C. COMMISSION HOUSE.

ANDREWS & BARDIN,

WILMINGTON, N. C.

The undersigned have established a Commission and Forwarding House in Wilmington, and offer their services for the sale of Cotton, Naval Stores, Sheetings, Cotton Yarns, Tobacco, Bacon, Flour, &c., &c., and to purchase for merchants or others any goods sold in this market. Consignments and orders respectfully solicited.

W. S. G. ANDREWS, of Goldsboro. BENJ. H. BARDIN, Lowell Cotton Mills.

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No pains or expense will be spared to make the Exchange a first class Hotel.

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WANTED to purchase 15,000 to 25,000 good Raleigh pine or cypress. Apply to J. L. PENNINGTON.

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NATURE'S FURNITURE.—Of the mouth, is far preferable to any that art can supply. Therefore keep your teeth clean, and in good repair with that unrivalled, Fragrant Sozodont. Brush them daily with this delicious vegetable [illegible], and they will not be likely to crumble or decay.

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Raleigh, Aug. 28-tf C. M. FARRISS.

PETERSBURG ADVERTISEMENTS.

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MARTIN & TANNAHILL,

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And respectfully solicit consignments from their old friends and the public generally.

We also FILL ORDERS FOR GOODS on the most favorable cash terms. aug7-3m

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aug24-1m*

BERNARD TODD, C. C. PUGH and WM. L. CHIEVES, have this day associated themselves together for the purpose of conducting a

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Under the Firm and style of

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MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—One thousand bushels FLAXSEED.

aug18-1m DR. W. R. MILLER.

Standard and Sentinel copy.

JUST RECEIVED.

2 BALES—1000 yards—ALAMANCE PLAIDS. [illegible] COTTON YARN, [illegible]

B. P. WILLIAMSON & CO.,

aug7 tf Fayetteville street.

Rags! Rags!!—Two cents a pound will be paid for clean Cotton and Linen Rags, in large or small quantities, at the PROGRESS OFFICE.

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WOULD respectfully offer his professional services to the citizens of Raleigh and surrounding country.

Office at the residence of [illegible], near North Carolina depot. aug8-1m*

GLUE! GLUE!! GLUE!!!

FROM 15 to 25 cents per pound. Sold by G. W. ROSE & CO., 32 Craven street, Newbern.

aug28-tf

B. P. WILLIAMSON & CO.

General Commission Merchants,

Fayetteville Street, RALEIGH, N. C.

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W. H. & R. S. TUCKER

HAVE RECEIVED, and will continue to receive, a large and well selected stock of GOODS, WARES AND MERCHANDISE, and have opened their Store (next door to the Express office) and are now ready to supply the demands of their friends and the public.

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A CHOICE LOT of Family Groceries, Sugars, Teas, Coffee, Soap, Salt, Pepper, Candles, Vinegar, Spices, Pickles, Canned Fruits, Sauces, Beef Tongues, Boston Butter, Lemon & Fox's Crackers, Wines and Liquors. aug14-tf W. H. & R. S. TUCKER.

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SUGAR ALMONDS, Cream Dates, Chocolate, Peppermint and Raspberry Drops, Rock Candy, Figs, Citrons, Raisins, Nuts, &c.

aug14-tf W. H. & R. S. TUCKER.

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FOR anything you want, and you can get supplied.

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WOOD FOR THE CAPITOL.

SEALED proposals will be received by the undersigned until 20th September next, to furnish a sufficient quantity of Wood for the use of the public offices in the Capitol and for the State Convention, the ensuing winter and spring.

The wood to be sound oak and hickory, to be delivered and measured in the wood-house on the capitol square from time to time as required.

Bidders will state the price per cord at which they will furnish it.

The right of rejecting bids not advantageous to the State is reserved. ROBT. H. BRADLEY, Keeper of Capitol.

aug22-t20s

Dental Notice.

THE subscriber respectfully informs the citizens of Raleigh and surrounding country that he has opened an office over P. F. Pescud's Drug Store, where he will be pleased to wait upon all who may favor him with their patronage. Particular attention paid to the preservation of the natural teeth. Artificial Teeth inserted on the most approved principles of practice.

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THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE ESTABLISHED IN the City of Raleigh, an Agency for the purpose of buying and selling Real Estate in North Carolina. In connection therewith, and auxiliary thereto they will publish a double sheet, twenty-four column weekly newspaper, wherein will be advertised, free of cost, all lands offered for sale through their agency, and which will be devoted to the dissemination of information concerning the agricultural, mineral, manufacturing and other resources of the State. By means of competent Agents in every county they will show the present advancement and especial capabilities for future development of each.

It will be found, on investigation, that no State in the Union can present such a combination of advantages as North Carolina. Situated midway between the colder regions of the North and the more tropical climes of the South, its land stretching from the sea-coast to the mountains, yield bountiful returns of cotton, tobacco, rice, grain, fruits, pasturage, grapes and other products, while in its bosom lie rich mines of gold and iron, copper, lead, coal, and other minerals, its rivers afford water power sufficient for the most extensive factories, and in its forests are boundless supplies of naval stores, timber and material for tanning. Under the recent change in the system of labor it becomes the interest of proprietors to part with a portion of their real estate, and it is the object of this enterprise, through agencies in Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington, and other chief cities to bring these abundant resources of the State to the notice of men of energy and capital, to get together the seller and the buyer, and to aid in starting North Carolina in a career of prosperity heretofore unknown.

The ADVERTISER will be furnished free of charge to all customers, and to others at One Dollar per annum. The first number will be issued by the first of July, or sooner, if the type and necessary material already ordered, can be procured from New York before that time. Those desirous of advertising in the first number will please communicate to the undersigned at once. Moderate commissions will be charged where sales are made.

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Trusting that they may sustain the well-earned reputation of this old and popular establishment, of forty years standing, they respectfully solicit a continuance of that [illegible] and patronage. jy 6-6m

CARD—LAND AGENCY.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING HERETOFORE announced a "General Intelligence and Land Agency," in the city of Raleigh, to commence operations on the 1st inst., have since determined to confine their [illegible] to the counties of Wake, Granville and Franklin, in connection with the "N. C. Land Agency" of Messrs. Battle, Heck & Co. We find that we will be unable to give our personal attention to a more extended [illegible]

We have a general knowledge of the Lands in the above [illegible], and a personal acquaintance with [illegible]

Landowners, [illegible] either of the aforesaid counties, [illegible] to gain further information as to the [illegible], please address us at Raleigh. [illegible] attention is directed to the prospectus of Battle, Heck & Co., published in the various papers of the State.

RICHARDSON & MILLER.

DAILY PROGRESS.

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 6, 1865.

AUTHORIZED AGENTS FOR THE PROGRESS.

The following gentlemen are authorized to act as agents for the PROGRESS in their several localities; and they will receive and transmit subscriptions and advertisements at our published rates:

VESTAL & JOY, 'Times' office, Newbern, N. C.
J. B. WHITAKER, Goldsboro', N. C.
T. S. WHITAKER, Wilmington, N. C.
MOSES A. SMITH, Salisbury.
R. M. BROWN, New Hill, Wake county, N. C.
S. M. PETTINGILL & Co., 37 Park Row, New York City, and 10 State street, Boston, Mass.

Other agents will be announced as soon as the arrangements can be made.

Where there are no agents persons can send money by mail. No paper sent until the subscription is paid.

The Atlantic Cable.

Recent arrivals from Europe furnish the following interesting statements regarding the cable:

Moorings had been laid down for the Great Eastern at Sheerness, and the inference was drawn that she would not go out again this season.

The London *Times* says the experience of the expedition is full of encouragement for the future.—The only discouraging circumstance is the apparent inability of electricians to discover serious faults in the cable before it is payed over the side of the ship. The delay for another year will not be thrown away if it enables them to devise better tests of excellence in the cable before it is submerged. Though, whether they do so or not, we must believe the possibility of an Atlantic telegraph established, and look forward to the day as certain, even if distant, when England and America will throb with one pulse of life.

The Daily *News* special correspondent says: "It is more than probable that the Great Eastern will be despatched to fish up the severed cable as soon as she can be refitted with stronger ropes and grapnels—no formal decision can be taken until the meeting of the various boards on the 21st, but it is tolerably certain that the expedition will restart at once."

The report of the Great Eastern had a favorable effect on the shares, which rallied from 2¼ to 2½.—There was much difference of opinion as to the prospect of recovering the cable, but generally the feeling was that it might be done.

The London *Times* says that the result of the proceedings on the Great Eastern demonstrates the complete feasability of the Atlantic telegraph. The principal difficulties of the enterprise are overcome.—Failure ensued from accidents, which may be called provoking from their littleness. Explanation is required why the hauling apparatus was defective; but the experience gained may enable the company to redeem their error and accomplish the great work.

The London Daily *News* censures those who were responsible for not having on hand a sufficient quantity of hauling in tackle, but says: "Although the ... warrant disappointment, they do not cause dis... but, on the contrary, point to ultimate success; assuming that the three companies interested make the necessary arrangements at once, it is now not impossible that attempts at telegraphic communication with America may be commenced before autumn has passed.

Other journals also regard the prospects of the cable from a hopeful point of view, although some express fears that it will not be recovered, and that the enterprise will fail for the present. The opinion, however, appears to be general that ultimate success is only a question of time and money.

The Daily *News* says: Fresh contracts will have been made, and new arrangements entered into, in the event of the Great Eastern being sent out again, both between her owners and the construction company, and between the latter and the Atlantic Telegraph Company. So the question, as may be supposed, will mainly resolve itself into one of finance; it is confidently believed that the great ship will again be despatched without unnecessary delay.—Meanwhile she proceeds to Sheerness, where she is expected to arrive on the 20th. She passed Plymouth on the afternoon of the 18th bound up the Channel.

The *Times* of the 18th instant publishes Russell's ... of the expedition, occupying seven columns, ... a leader on the subject remarks that, although results are very encouraging for the future, still, if perfect machinery were at hand, it would, we fear, be too late to lay the cable this year, though sanguine spirits may remind us that after the equinoctial gales are past the month of October is generally calm, and further delay must cause a loss of the portion of the cable which has been paid out. One malicious injury was discovered.—A piece of iron wire was run through the covering, ...ing dead earth.

Atlantic preference shares are quoted at 2¼ a 2½.

...n. C. Truman, of the New York *Times*, has been made the recipient of an appointment from the President, and sent upon special Government service to the South. Mr. Truman is well acquainted with the Southern people, and is incapable of committing any error in his presentations of the policy of the President, with whom he has been intimate during the existence of the war.

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We have competent workmen and promptness and dispatch may be relied on in all cases, and we ask a trial from all who have printing to do.

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CONVENTION CANDIDATES.

We are authorized ... to announce ... as a candidate for the ... Convention. sept1-td

... F. Williams ... announces himself a candidate for the office of Assistant Doorkeeper of the ensuing Convention. aug30-td*

John H. Hill, of Randolph, announces himself a candidate for Assistant Doorkeeper of the ensuing Convention. aug24-td
Daily Standard copy till day.

We are authorized to announce W. H. HOOD, Esq., as a candidate in the county of Wake, for the State Convention—subject to the action of a county convention, should one be called. aug11-td

We are Authorized to announce JOHN L. PENNINGTON, of Wake, as a candidate for the State Convention—subject to a county convention, should one be called. aug11-td

To the Members of the Approaching Convention.—I shall be a candidate for the Principal Clerkship of the N. C. State Convention which meets in Raleigh on the 2d day of October next.
aug18-td* Respectfully, JAS. H. MOORE.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

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The Original and Best in the World! The only true and perfect Hair Dye. Harmless, Reliable and Instantaneous. Produces immediately a splendid Black or natural Brown, without injuring the hair or skin. Remedies the ill effects of bad dyes. Sold by all Druggists. The genuine is signed William A. Batchelor. Also, REGENERATING EXTRACT OF MILLEFLEURS, for Restoring and Beautifying the Hair.
aug14-ly CHARLES BATCHELOR, New York.

COLGATE & CO.

Beg to inform their customers that they still continue the manufacture of their various styles of Family and Toilet Soaps, Starch, and Candles.
COLGATE & CO.,
y31-3m Nos. 53 & 55 John St., New York.

COTTON YARN AND SHEETING.

20 BALES COTTON YARN, running from 7's to 14's
5 do Sheeting
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Proposals FOR THE PURCHASE OF Horses, Mules, Wagons and Harness.

OFFICE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER,
Department of North Carolina,
Raleigh, August 14th, 1865.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. on Tuesday, September 5th, 1865, for the purchase of a large number of Horses, Mules, Wagons and Harness.

The property will be free for the inspection of bidders at Charlotte, Raleigh and Newbern, N. C., from the 20th of August until the day of sale.

Horses and Mules will be put aside in lots of 12, 24, and 48, each; the Wagons in lots of 2, 4 and 8 each; and the Harness in lots of 12, 24 and 48 single setts, each. Proposals will only be considered for the whole of each separate lot.

A number of Four-Mule and Six-Mule Teams, with Harness and Wagons, will also be set aside at each point named, and proposals received for single Teams, with the Wagons and Harness complete.

Proposals should be addressed to the undersigned, at Raleigh; and should be endorsed—"proposals for the purchase of public property."

The right is reserved to reject all bids that may be offered.

Successful bidders will be notified in person or by telegraph; and will be required to remove the property on or before September 8th.

Full information, and blanks for proposals, will be furnished on application by letter or in person to the undersigned, or to Lieut. Simpson, A. A. Q. M., Charlotte; Capt. A. M. Garoutte, A. Q. M., Raleigh; Captain U. H. Wheeler, A. Q. M., Newbern; and Captain D. W. H. Day, A. Q. M., Raleigh.

Payment must be made in Government funds on the delivery of the property.

All Mules offered in this manner are sound and serviceable—a large proportion of them far superior to any offered for sale at auction in the Department. This will be the only opportunity planters and others will have of purchasing this class of stock from the Government.

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A Lady having Enjoyed the Pleasure, Comfort and Great Convenience of wearing the Duplex Elliptic Steel Spring Skirt for a single day will never afterwards willingly dispense with their use. For Children, Misses and Young Ladies they are superior to all others.

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All are made of the new and elegant Corded Tapes, and are the best quality in every part, giving to the wearer the most graceful and perfect shape possible, and are unquestionably the lightest, most desirable, comfortable and economical Skirt ever made.

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LATEST NEWS.

The Ketchum Defalcation.

SETTLEMENT AT SIXTY PER CENT.

The Wirz Trial.

Arrest of one of the Winders.

NEWS FROM ALL QUARTERS.

Northern papers received here last night, furnish the following important news:

KETCHUM.

A meeting of the creditors of the firm of Morris, Ketchum, Son & Co., was held on the 1st inst., at which terms for settlement on the basis of sixty per cent of the amount of the claims were submitted, and finally after discussion, accepted. It was also agreed that the Ketchum firm should be at liberty to resume business. Their liabilities are about four millions of dollars. Several letters were read at the meeting, among which was one of an affecting character from Mr. Morris Ketchum in reference to the conduct of his son Edward.

THE WIRZ TRIAL.

In the Wirz trial on Saturday, D. S. Belcher of the 16th Illinois Cavalry, testified to the shooting of men by order of Wirz for going over the dead line; he said he had seen twenty-five or thirty men shot near the line. He saw prisoners killed every month; saw two men killed by a sentry one afternoon when they went for water where the dead line crossed the brook; another shot when he was going after wood; a fourth was lying in tent and put his arm outside the dead line was shot in August, another near the hospital. The sentries never said anything before they shot; every two or three days a man was shot near the brook. James H. Davidson, of the 4th Iowa Cavalry, also testified to bad treatment and scanty food the prisoners received; he also testifies to the fact of seeing Wirz shoot men, in one instance for simply asking him a question; he had frequently seen men who were starved to death—thousands of them; saw men pick up beans indigested, found in the offal of the camp and eat them.

ARREST OF R. B. WINDER.

Fort Monroe, August 31st.—R. B. Winder, of the family of rebel prison keepers, was arrested yesterday on the Easton Shore, near Drummondtown.—At an early hour this morning he was placed on board the steamer Amanda Winants, and conveyed to Washington, D. C., under the care of the District Provost Marshal, Captain A. O. Hitchcock, accompanied by a guard of four men.

It is alleged that this R. B. Winder was associated with the Wirz in the management of that prison of horrors, Andersonville.

GENERAL NEWS.

A new line of steamers has been established between Baltimore, Petersburg and Richmond.

Governor Hamilton of Texas has issued a proclamation ordering the necessary steps to be taken to call a convention. Delegates are to be elected, but only those loyal to the United States.

Ex-Governor Murray, of Texas, died at Monterey on the 4th.

Mr. Mason, writing to the London *Times*, says that orders were immediately forwarded to stop the Shenandoah's cruise on the termination of the war.

A Fortress Monroe letter of the 31st ult., says:

Jeff. Davis again appeared on the ramparts of the fortress last evening. His carbuncle has got so far well as no longer to impede his walking.

Mr. Greeley and Jeff Davis.

The New York *Citizen* of last week has the following in regard to the charge of Mr. Weed that H. G., that maintained a correspondence with certain relatives of Jefferson Davis. We quote:

"Some time ago Mrs. Jefferton Davis wrote a very touching and truly womanly letter to the editor of the *Tribune*, thanking him for his advocacy of civil over military tribunals in the cases of political offenders; complaining of the alleged ill treatment of her husband, the insufficient and unwholesome food given to him, his subjection to heavy fetters, his being denied hours for open-air exercise, and all the other absurd slanders of the same sort poured out by the fertile correspondents of the Philadelphia *Inquirer*.

"To this, Mr. Greeley replied as any gentleman must have replied to any lady so unfortunate as to have a husband in such a sorry case. He disabused her mind of the false stories of ill treatment and privation; assured her that our Government was wholly incapable of any such mean malignity as the report in question had libelously charged to its account; that Mr. Davis had good and wholesome food, as much open-air exercise as he needed, and that—when last reliably heard from—the health of her husband was not only not worse, but much better than it had been at the time of his arrest.

"Mr. Greeley's letter then wound up by some reassuring words, to the effect that she might dismiss anxiety as to any snap-judgment or drum-head proceedings and execution in regard to her husband, it being Mr. Greeley's conviction that he would be given a just and public trial before some fairly-constituted and honorable court. This letter, open, was enclosed in one to General William Birge, commanding at Savannah, to be delivered or returned as that officer might think advisable; and surely in this transaction, at least, there is nothing to damage Private O'Greeley in the judgment of any candid or compassionate censors."

State Convention.

PUBLIC SPEAKING!

MESSRS. W. H. HOOD & J. L. PENNINGTON,

Cadidates for the State Convention, will address their fellow citizens at the following times and places, where they will be pleased to meet their fellow citizens. Other candidates are invited to attend these appointments:

Eagle Rock,	Thursday,	September	7th.
Wakefield,	Friday,	"	8th.
Rollsville,	Saturday,	"	9th.
Auburn,	Monday,	"	11th.
Hayes' Store,	Tuesday,	"	12th.
Morrisville,	Wednesday,	"	13th.
Spikes',	Thursday,	"	14th.
Oak Grove,	Friday,	"	15th.
Laws',	Saturday,	"	16th.
Green Level,	Monday,	"	18th.
Tabby Jones',	Tuesday,	"	19th.
Barney Jones',	Wednesday,	"	20th.

Sept. 5th, 1865. 3d.

A Proclamation,

BY WILLIAM W. HOLDEN,

Provisional Governor.

TO THE PEOPLE OF NORTH CAROLINA.

In pursuance of power vested in me by ANDREW JOHNSON, President of the United States, by proclamation of May 29th, 1865, appointing a Provisional Governor of North Carolina, under the fourth article of the Constitution of the United States, which guarantees to every State in the Union a republican form of government; and in order to enable the loyal people of said State to organize a State Government, whereby justice may be established, domestic tranquility restored, and loyal citizens protected in all their rights of life, liberty, and property; and in order, also, that said State may be restored to its Constitutional relations to the Federal government, by presenting such a republican form of government as will entitle the State to the guarantee of the United States therefor, and its people to protection by the United States against invasion, insurrection and domestic violence, I, WILLIAM W. HOLDEN, Provisional Governor as aforesaid, do hereby proclaim that an election will be held in said State, on Thursday, the 21st day of September, 1865, for a Convention, to be composed of one hundred and twenty delegates, to be chosen as follows:

The county of Alamance will choose two members.
The county of Alexander will choose one member.
The counties of Ashe and Alleghany will choose one member.
The county of Anson will choose two members.
The county of Beaufort will choose two members.
The county of Bertie will choose two members.
The county of Bladen will choose one member.
The county of Brunswick will choose one member.
The county of Buncombe will choose one member.
The county of Burke will choose one member.
The county of Cabarrus will choose one member.
The county of Caldwell will choose one member.
The county of Camden will choose one member.
The county of Carteret will choose one member.
The county of Caswell will choose two members.
The county of Catawba will choose one member.
The county of Chatham will choose three members.
The counties of Cherokee and Clay will choose one member.
The county of Chowan will choose one member.
The county of Cleaveland will choose two members.
The county of Columbus will choose one member.
The county of Craven will choose two members.
The counties of Cumberland and Harnett will choose three members.
The county of Carrituck will choose one member.
The county of Davidson will choose two members.
The county of Davie will choose one member.
The county of Duplin will choose two members.
The counties of Edgecombe and Wilson will choose two members.
The county of Forsyth will choose two members.
The county of Franklin will choose one member.
The county of Gaston will choose one member.
The county of Gates will choose one member.
The county of Granville will choose three members.
The county of Greene will choose one member.
The county of Guilford will choose three members.
The county of Halifax will choose two members.
The county of Haywood will choose one member.
The counties of Henderson and Transylvania will choose one member.
The county of Hertford will choose one member.
The county of Hyde will choose one member.
The county of Iredell will choose two members.
The county of Jackson will choose one member.
The county of Johnston will choose two members.
The county of Jones will choose one member.
The county of Lenoir will choose one member.
The county of Lincoln will choose one member.
The county of Macon will choose one member.
The county of Madison will choose one member.
The county of Martin will choose one member.
The county of McDowell will choose one member.
The county of Mecklenburg will choose two members.
The county of Montgomery will choose one member.
The county of Moore will choose one member.
The county of Nash will choose one member.
The county of New Hanover will choose two members.
The county of Northampton will choose two members.
The county of Onslow will choose one member.
The county of Orange will choose two members.
The county of Pasquotank will choose one member.
The county of Perquimans will choose one member.
The county of Person will choose one member.
The county of Pitt will choose two members.
The county of Randolph will choose two members.
The county of Richmond will choose one member.
The county of Robeson will choose two members.
The county of Rockingham will choose two members.
The county of Rowan will choose two members.
The counties of Rutherford and Polk will choose two members.
The counties of Sampson will choose two members.
The county of Stanly will choose one member.
The county of Stokes will choose one member.
The county of Surry will choose one member.
The county of Tyrrell will choose one member.
The county of Union will choose one member.
The county of Wake will choose three members.
The county of Warren will choose two members.
The county of Washington will choose one member.
The county of Watauga will choose one member.
The county of Wayne will choose two members.
The county of Wilkes will choose two members.
The county of Yadkin will choose one member.
The counties of Yancey and Mitchell will choose one member.

The Clerks and Sheriffs of the respective counties will proceed at once to assemble the Justices of the Peace, a majority of whom will select from their number not less than six nor more than eighteen Justices, men of intelligence, discretion firmness, and approved loyalty, whose duty it shall be to administer to those who may be entitled to receive it, the oath contained in the President's Amnesty Proclamation of May 29th, 1865, under such instruction as may be prescribed in this Proclamation. The Justices shall, at the same time, appoint Inspectors of the elections at the various precincts in their respective counties, in accordance with the law in relation thereto, Chapter 52, Revised Code of North Carolina. The elections for members of the Convention shall be conducted in the same manner as elections for members of the House of Commons, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 52, Revised Code, so far as said provisions may be applicable; and the officers appointed to hold said elections, and to make returns thereof, shall be liable to the same penalties for failure to act, or for neglect of duty, as are prescribed in chapter 52, Revised Code.

No person will be allowed to vote who is not a voter qualified as prescribed by the Constitution and laws of the State, in force immediately before the 20th day of May, 1861; except that the payment of a poll tax shall not be required.

All paroled soldiers of the army and navy of the pretended Confederate States, or of this State, and all paroled officers of the army and navy of the pretended Confederate States, or of this State, under and including the rank of Colonel, if of the army, and under and including the rank of Lieutenant, if of the navy, will be allowed to vote, provided they are not included in any of the fourteen excluded classes of the President's Amnesty Proclamation; and, provided further, that they are citizens of the State in accordance with the terms prescribed in the preceding paragraph.

No person will be allowed to vote who does not exhibit to the Inspectors a copy of the Amnesty Oath, as contained in the President's Proclamation of May 29th, 1865, signed by himself and certified by at least two Justices of the Peace.

Printed Copies of the Amnesty Oath will be furnished to the Clerks, who will distribute them to the Justices appointed to administer the oath. The Justices will deliver the certified copy to the person taking the oath, and retain the original to be transmitted to this office.

Justices of the Peace are authorized to administer the Amnesty Oath to persons who may desire to apply to the President for a pardon.

The Sheriffs of the respective counties shall furnish, as soon as practicable, certificates of election to those persons who may have received the highest number of votes as members of the Convention; and the Sheriffs shall also immediately send to the office of the Secretary of State, Raleigh, a statement of the vote in their respective Counties for the members aforesaid, and also a statement of the said vote, sealed up, directed to the President of the Convention, Raleigh, to be laid before the Convention.

The members of the Convention thus chosen, will assemble in the city of Raleigh, on Monday, the second day of October, 1865.

The attention of Justices appointed to administer the Amnesty Oath, is especially directed to the following fourteen excluded classes of the President's Amnesty Proclamation of May 29th, 1865:

"*First*—All who are, or shall have been, pretended civil or diplomatic officers, or otherwise, domestic or foreign agents of the pretended Confederate government.

Second—All who left judicial stations under the United States to aid the rebellion.

Third—All who shall have been military or naval officers of said pretended Confederate government, above the rank of Colonel in the army or Lieutenant in the navy.

Fourth—All who left seats in the Congress of the United States to aid the rebellion.

Fifth—All who resigned or tendered resignations of their commissions in the army or navy of the United States to evade duty in resisting the rebellion.

Sixth—All who have engaged in any way in treating otherwise than lawfully as prisoners of war persons found in the United States service, as officers, soldiers, seamen, or in other capacities.

Seventh—All persons who have been or are absentees from the United States for the purpose of aiding the rebellion.

Eighth—All military and naval officers in the rebel service who were educated by the government in the Military Academy at West Point, or the United States Naval Academy.

Ninth—All persons who held the pretended offices of Governors of States in insurrection against the United States.

Tenth—All persons who left their homes within the jurisdiction and protection of the United States and passed beyond the federal military lines into the so-called Confederate States for the purpose of aiding the rebellion.

Eleventh—All persons who have been engaged in the destruction of the commerce of the United States upon the high seas, and persons who have made raids into the United States from Canada, or been engaged in destroying the commerce of the United States upon the lakes and rivers that separate the British provinces from the United States.

Twelfth—All persons who, at the time when they seek to obtain the benefits hereof by taking the oath herein prescribed, are in military, naval or civil confinement or custody, or under bonds of the civil, military or naval authorities or agents of the United States, as prisoners of war, or persons detained for offences of any kind either before or after conviction.

Thirteenth.—All persons who have voluntarily participated in said rebellion, and the estimated value of whose taxable property is over twenty thousand dollars.

Fourteenth—All persons who have taken the oath of amnesty as prescribed in the President's proclamation of December eighth, A. D., one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, or an oath of allegiance to the government of the United States since the date of said proclamation, and who have not henceforward kept and maintained the same inviolate: *Provided*, That special application may be made to the President for pardon by any person belonging to the excepted classes, and such clemency will be liberally extended as may be consistent with the facts of the case and the peace and dignity of the United States.

Under the first exception are included all persons who have been civil or diplomatic officers or agents of the pretended Confederate government, either within or without the territorial limits of the United States.

Under the seventh exception are included all officers, agents, or private citizens who have been absent from the United States for the purpose of aiding the rebellion.

Under the thirteenth exception are included all who, during the rebellion, have held any office or agency under the State or pretended Confederate government; or have in any way voluntarily joined in the rebellion, as for example, by entering or marching with armed forces hostile to the United States; by sending or furnishing money, provisions, or arms to persons engaged in the rebellion, save in cases where money or provisions were furnished from the promptings of charity or humanity; by acting with asemblages of persons, whether organized or unorganized, hostile to the United States; or in any other way giving voluntary aid, assistance or encouragement to the rebellion; and whose taxable property on the 29th day of May, 1865, exceeded in value the sum of twenty thousand dollars.

The other exceptions are so plain as not to require explanation.

No certificate will be granted by the Justices to any person who is included within any of the fourteen excluded classes, unless on exhibition by the party of his pardon for his offense from the President.

The Justices appointed to administer the amnesty oath, and to furnish certificates of the same which shall be evidence of loyalty, are especially instructed to be vigilant and faithful. While it will not be their duty to attempt to pry into the hearts and consciences of men, they will nevertheless admonish those who may apply to take the oath, that it must be taken and subscribed in good faith, with an honest intention on their part to keep it without secret purpose or mental reservation upon any occasion or at any time to commit any act in violation of said oath; and they will warn them that if the oath is not thus taken and kept, the pardon offered them by the President will be void, and they will remain subject to trial under the law for perjury and treason.

The Justices, Clerks and Sheriffs, whose duty it is to provide for administering the oath and to conduct the elections, are enjoined to use every practicable means to enable every citizen to take the oath who may desire and be entitled to do so. And the Inspectors are enjoined to inspect and examine fairly and truly, to decide in every case in accordance with the law, and with the instructions they have received from this office, and to make prompt and correct returns of the number of votes and for whom cast, at their respective precincts.

Done at our city of Raleigh, the 8th day of August, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five, and in the year of the independence of the United States the ninetieth.

WILLIAM W. HOLDEN,
Provisional Governor.

By the Governor:
LEWIS HANES, Private Secretary.
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***The newspapers of the State will publish the above Proclamation twice a week till day of election, and send accounts to this office.

HOTELS AND BOARDING HOUSES.

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Passengers for western or southern points will leave Petersburg at 5.30 o'clock a. m., arrive at Gaston 11 a. m. Leave Gaston 11 a. m., arrive at Raleigh 7 p. m. Leave Raleigh at 7.40 p. m. and 6 a. m.

Passengers are respectfully requested to get tickets before entering the cars.

No trains on the Petersburg Rail Road on Sundays.

E. WILKES,
Eng. and Sup't N. C. R. R.
A. JOHNSON,
Sup't Raleigh & Gaston R. R.
R. M. DUNLOP,
aug21-tf Sup't Petersburg & Weldon R. R.

*** Raleigh Standard, Sentinel, Recorder, Salisbury Union Banner and Petersburg Express publish daily, Charlotte Democrat and Greensboro Patriot publish weekly, till forbid. A. J., Sup't R. & G. R. R.

NORTH CAROLINA RAILROAD.

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Change of Time.

ON AND AFTER 7:40 P. M., Sunday, August 13th, 1865, Trains will run, until further orders, as follows:

GOING WEST:

MAIL TRAIN:

Leave	Raleigh,	7.40 P. M.
"	Greensboro,	2.17 A. M.
"	Salisbury,	6.46 "
Arrive	Charlotte,	10.10 "

ACCOMMODATION TRAIN:

Leave	Raleigh,	6.00 A. M.
"	Greensboro,	12.50 P. M.
"	Salisbury,	5.00 "
Arrive	Charlotte,	8.30 "

GOING EAST:

MAIL TRAIN:

Leave	Charlotte,	3.00 P. M.
"	Salisbury,	6.25 "
"	Greensboro,	10.15 "
Arrive	Raleigh,	4.30 A. M.

ACCOMMODATION TRAIN:

Leave	Charlotte,	5.25 A. M.
"	Salisbury,	9.00 "
"	Greensboro,	1.05 P. M.
Arrive	Raleigh,	7.30 "

MAIL TRAIN connects, east and west, with the Raleigh & Gaston train for Petersburg and the North and with the U. S. Military railroad for Goldsboro, Newbern, Morehead City and Wilmington.

FREIGHT TRAIN leaves Raleigh at 11 A. M., Charlotte 6 00 A. M.,—stopping at Company Shops over night.

The Mail Train only will run on Sunday. Passengers are notified to procure tickets before entering the trains, as additional fare will be collected.

E. WILKES,
aug13-tf Engineer and Sup't.

SCHEDULE

RALEIGH AND GASTON RAILROAD,

To take effect Tuesday, June 22, 1865.

GOING NORTH:

MAIL TRAIN:

Leave	Raleigh	5 00 A. M.
"	Mill Brook	5 25 "
"	Huntsville	5 46 "
"	Wake	6 13 "
"	Franklinton	7 06 "
"	Kittrell's	8 12 "
"	Henderson	8 55 "
"	Junction	9 20 "
"	Ridgeway	9 36 "
"	Warrenton	10 15 "
"	Macon	10 37 "
"	Littleton	11 20 "
"	Gaston	12 00 "
Arrive	Weldon	1 00 P. M.

GOING SOUTH:

MAIL TRAIN:

Leave	Weldon	10 00 A. M.
"	Gaston	11 00 "
"	Littleton	12 46 P. M.
"	Macon	1 34 "
"	Warrenton	1 57 "
"	Ridgeway	2 33 "
"	Junction	2 39 "
"	Henderson	3 22 "
"	Kittrell's	4 08 "
"	Franklinton	4 44 "
"	Wake	5 33 "
"	Huntsville	6 03 "
"	Mill Brook	6 21 "
Arrive	Raleigh	7 00 "

ALBERT JOHNSON,
aug14-tf Superintendent.

Notice.

OFFICE OF THE PETERSBURG R. R. CO.,
PETERSBURG, VA., August 14, 1865.

THE Petersburg Railroad Company are now prepared to transport Freight and Passengers to and from Petersburg, Va., to Gaston [illegible], N. C., and intermediate stations. Rates of Freight can be ascertained by application to any of the Company's Agents.

Outward Freight must be PREPAID, and Inward Freight can be PAID on delivery at the depot in Petersburg.

At Stations where the Company have no Warehouse, some one must be in readiness to receive shipments on arrival of trains, and at such places freight intended for shipment will only be received [illegible] by the Company when the trains are ready to receive it, as the Company will only be responsible for such freight while on their trains. [illegible]
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10 DOZEN FRENCH CALF SKINS,
15 pounds BLACK SEWING SILK.
20 dozen SOFT HATS.
For sale at [illegible]
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Raleigh, N. C., June 30, 1865-3m

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